

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

KATO et al.

Serial No. 10/649,612

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Title: BATTERY STATE DIAGNOSING DEVICE AND BATTERY STATE DIAGNOSING  
METHOD

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TC/A.U. 2857

Examiner: D.R. PRETLOW

Date: September 21, 2006

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER**

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

 **Correspondence Address Indication Form Attached.****Fees are attached as calculated below:**

Total effective claims after amendment	18	minus highest number		
previously paid for	20	(at least 20) =	0 x \$50.00	\$0.00 (1202)/\$0.00 (2202) \$
Independent claims after amendment	12	minus highest number		
previously paid for	10	(at least 3) =	2 x \$200.00	\$400.00 (1201)/\$200.00 (2201) \$ 400.00

If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, (ignore improper); add

\$360.00 (1203)/\$180.00 (2203) \$

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One Month Extension	\$120.00 (1251)/\$60.00 (2251)
Two Month Extensions	\$450.00 (1252)/\$225.00 (2252)
Three Month Extensions	\$1020.00 (1253)/\$510.00 (2253)
Four Month Extensions	\$1590.00 (1254)/\$795.00 (2254)
Five Month Extensions	\$2160.00 (1255)/\$1080.00 (2255) \$

Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add

\$130.00 (1814)/ \$65.00 (2814) \$

Applicant claims "small entity" status.  Statement filed herewith

Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee	\$180.00 (1806)	\$ 0.00
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**AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action, dated June 22, 2006, the above-identified application is  
amended in the following manner:

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